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Dear Harry:

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Thank you for your note of 6 October enclosing a letter from [redacted]

[redacted] has written to me of his desire to be of service here and I have informed him that I will keep his qualifications in mind while I'm getting squared away in this new job and determining where I may need additional personnel. I shan't forget him, and if I find a spot for which he seems to be suited, we'll ask him to come in and talk it over. Meanwhile, I'm glad that you passed his letter along to me.

This isn't going to be an easy job, but it's well worthwhile doing and I certainly will not have an opportunity to be either bored or lazy.

Nory joins me in sending our very best regards to you and Irene.

Faithfully,

1st "Beckel"  
Rec'd 10/16

Major General Harry J. Collins  
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Long Island, New York

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